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office consultation and availability of personnel at foreign affiliates of Andersen to conduct the relevant portions of the audit.

(c) This temporary note will expire on December 31, 2002.

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EFFECTIVE DATE NOTE: At 67 FR 13533, Mar. 22, 2002, Temporary Notes 1T, 2T and 3T were added effective Mar. 18, 2002 through December 31, 2002.

## §210.3-01 Consolidated balance sheets.

- (a) There shall be filed, for the registrant and its subsidiaries consolidated, audited balance sheets as of the end of each of the two most recent fiscal years. If the registrant has been in existence for less than one fiscal year, there shall be filed an audited balance sheet as of a date within 135 days of the date of filing the registration statement.
- (b) If the filing, other than a filing on Form 10–K and Form 10–KSB or Form 10 and Form 10–SB, is made within 45 days after the end of the registrant's fiscal year and audited financial statements for the most recent fiscal year are not available, the balance sheets may be as of the end of the two preceding fiscal years and the filing shall include an additional balance sheet as of an interim date at least as current as the end of the registrant's third fiscal quarter of the most recently completed fiscal year.
- (c) The instruction in paragraph (b) is also applicable to filings, other than on Form 10–K and Form 10–KSB or Form 10 and Form 10–SB, made after 45 days but within 90 days of the end of the registrant's fiscal year: *Provided*, That the following conditions are met:
- (1) The registrant files annual, quarterly and other reports pursuant to section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and all reports due have been filed;
- (2) For the most recent fiscal year for which audited financial statements are not yet available the registrant reasonably and in good faith expects to report income, after taxes but before extraordinary items and cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle; and
- (3) For at least one of the two fiscal years immediately preceding the most recent fiscal year the registrant reported income, after taxes by before ex-

traordinary items and cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle.

- (d) For filings made after 45 days but within 90 days of the end of the registrant's fiscal year where the conditions set forth in paragraph (c) of this section are not met, the filing must include the audited balance sheets required by paragraph (a) of this section.
- (e) For filings made after 134 days subsequent to the end of the registrant's most recent fiscal year the filing shall also include a balance sheet as of an interim date within 135 days of the date of filing.
- (f) Any interim balance sheet provided in accordance with the requirements of this section may be unaudited and need not be presented in greater detail than is required by §210.10-01. Notwithstanding the requirements of this section, the most recent interim balance sheet included in a filing shall be at least as current as the most recent balance sheet filed with the Commission on Form 10-Q and Form 10-QSB.
- (g) For filings by registered management investment companies, the requirements of §210.3–18 shall apply in lieu of the requirements of this section.
- (h) Any foreign private issuer, other than a registered management investment company or an employee plan, may file the financial statements required by Item 8.A of Form 20-F (§249.220 of this chapter) in lieu of the financial statements specified in this rule.

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## § 210.3-02 Consolidated statements of income and changes in financial positions.

(a) There shall be filed, for the registrant and its subsidiaries consolidated and for its predecessors, audited statements of income and cash flows for each of the three fiscal years preceding the date of the most recent audited balance sheet being filed or such shorter period as the registrant (including predecessors) has been in existence.